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RN NGN VATI COMPREHENSIVE PREDICTOR 2023 /VATI RN COMPREHENSIVE PREDICTOR WITH NGN ACTUAL EXAM 180 QUESTIONS AND CORRECT DWTAILED ANSWERS (VERIFIED ANSWERS) |ALREADY GRADED A+

A RN is caring for a patient who has a new diagnosis of breast cancer. The patient becomes quiet and withdrawn and says to the nurse, "What do you think people will say about me when I'm gone?" Which os the following responses should the RN make?

A. "What are you worried they will say about you?"

B. "The thought of having breast cancer may seem hopeless."

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C. "Maintaining a positive attitude can influence your recovery."

D. "You will be remembered as a kind person." - ANSWER- B. "The thought of having breast cancer may seem hopeless."

(RAT) Restating what the patient said in order to focus on her feelings of hopelessness, allows the patient to share emotions related to the diagnosis.

At the start of a counseling session with the RN, the patient states, "We're wasting time with these meetings. I can't trust anyone with what's

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really bothering me about things I've done." Which of the following responses should the RN provide?

A. "What makes you think that?"

B. "These sessions are for your own good. We need to continue them."

C. "Is it because you feel like no one would understand what you are experiencing?"

D. "Perhaps you'd rather talk about that visit you had with your sister". - ANSWER- C. "Is it because you feel like no one would understand what you are experiencing?"

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(RAT) The nurse is demonstrating the non-therapeutic communication technique of verbalizing the implied, which helps clarify the implicit meaning of the patient's statement and encourages further discussion.

(NOTE) (A) demonstrates the non-therapeutic communication technique of assuming the existence of an external source of power. This allows the patient to blame something else for behavior rather than accepting the responsibility.

A RN is providing teaching to a patient who is preoperative prior to a transurethral resection of the prostate (TURP). Which of the following patient statements indicates an understanding of the information ?

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A. "I will not need to have a urinary catheter following this procedure."

B. "I will expect my urine to be cloudy after having this procedure."

C. "At least I won't have leakage of urine after having this procedure."

D. "I will feel the urge to urinate following this procedure." - ANSWER-D. "I will feel the urge to urinate following this procedure."

(RAT) After a TURP, the patient will feel the urge to urinate. The RN should reassure him that he will receive pain medication to help this discomfort.

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(NOTE) The patient might have temporary dribbling and leakage of urine following a TURP. The RN should reassure the patient that these manifestations will resolve - (C) is incorrect

A RN is planning care for a patient who has type 2 DM. Which of the following interventions should the RN include in the plan?

A. Encourage the patient to control weight

B. Inspect the patient's feet once each week

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C. Restrict the patients activity

D. Apply moisturizer between the patient's toes - ANSWER- A. Encourage the patient to control weight

(RAT) The RN should encourage weight control to stabilize the patients BS and improve glycosylated Hgb levels. Obesity is a risk factor for type 2 DM, and moderate calorie restriction can improve control of DM.

(NOTE) The RN should inspect the patient's feet daily. The patient is at risk for foot injury due to impaired circulation and reduced sensation in the lower extremities

A RN in the ER is assessing a patient who has a Brady-dysrhythmia. Which of the following findings should the nurse monitor for? - ANSWER- Confusion

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(RAT) Brady-dysrhythmia can cause decreased perfusion, which can lead to confusion. The RN should monitor the patient's mental status

(NOTE) HTN is incorrect; instead Brady-dysrhythmia can cause hypotension and sweating. THINK - slow HR, less blood is pumped to the brain.

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